GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Health Medical & Family Welfare Department – Departmental Proceedings initiated against Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, ACSR Government Medical College, Nellore) under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Article of Charges framed - WSD submitted – Inquiry Officer appointed – Change of Inquiry Officer - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (VC.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 312 **Dated: 27-05-2025**

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.220, HM&FW (VC.I) Department, Dated:17.04.2025.
2. From DME, AP e-file Com.No. 2773862, Dt. 23.05.2025

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ORDER:

Whereas, an inquiry to be held under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 was ordered in the GO 1st read above by appointing Dr. P.A.Chandrasekharan, Principal, S.V.Medical College, Tirupati as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, ACSR Government Medical College, Nellore) for his lapses in Post-mortem Examination against B.Nagalakshmi, in compliance of Hon'ble High Court Orders in Criminal Appeal.No.326/2017.

2. And whereas, the DME, AP in his e-file vide reference 2nd read above has informed that Dr.P.A.Chandrasekharan, Principal, S.V.Medical College, Tirupati who appointed as inquiry authority to conduct enquiry against Dr.Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine, S.V.Medical College, Tirupati has requested to exempt from the inquiry and requested to appoint any other inquiry officer to inquire this case as he was retired from his service on 30.04.2025. The DME, AP has requested the Government that Dr. Raviprabhu, ADME & Principal, SVMC, Tirupathi may be appointed as IO.

3. **Now,** therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of the said Rules, Government, hereby, appoint Dr. Raviprabhu, ADME & Principal, SVMC, Tirupathi as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati (formerly Assistant Professor, ACSR Government Medical College, Nellore).

4. The Inquiry Officer shall conduct Inquiry as per the provisions under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and complete the Inquiry within the time as prescribed in G.O.Ms.No.91, GA (Services.C) Department, Dated:12.09.2022 scrupulously and submit his report to the Government, with his own attestation in duplicate.

P.T.O.

5. Dr. P.A.Chandrasekharan, Principal, S.V.Medical College, Tirupati (Retd) shall hand over the relevant records / documents connected with the Inquiry to the new Inquiring Authority.

6. The Director of Medical Education, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall also arrange the necessary records to the new Inquiry Officer to conduct the Inquiry.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. MANJULA D HOSMANI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr. Raviprabhu, ADME & Principal, SVMC, Tirupathi.
(through the DME, AP, Vijayawada.)
Dr. Z.Sasikanth, Professor of Forensic Medicine at SVMC, Tirupati.
(formerly Assistant Professor, ACSR Government Medical College, Nellore), through the DME, AP, Vijayawada.
The Director of Medical Education, AP, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

Dr. P.A.Chandrasekharan, Principal, S.V.Medical College, Tirupati (Now Retd).
Sri S.Srinivasa Rao, Inspector of Police, SCRB, CID, AP Mangalagiri through Home (Ser.I) Department.
The Home(Ser.I) Department.
The DGP, CID, Mangalagiri.
The PS to Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER